

CACTUS CLUB WINS GAME, 37 TO 25 BEATS HIGH IN BASKETBALL GAME

Game, Though Closely Contested, is Rather Rough and Not Very Scientific—Cactus Wins Through Being Better Able to Stand Hard Pace of the Game—Several Men "All in" By Time Game Ends.

By "BECK."

BETTER physical condition, better combination and better defense tactics all contributed to the victory of the Cactus club over the High school in the City league basketball game at the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday evening, the final score being 37 to 25. The game was hard contested and was hardly what might be called a scientific exhibition of basketball. Man for man, there wasn't a awful lot to choose between the teams but the Cactus players were better able to stand the hard pace and they finished strong. P. Schumacher, Chris Fox and Al Tatum were pretty much "all in" when the game ended and Schumacher dropped about 10 minutes before the final whistle but pluckily continued. Demar Bowman was the only member of the Cactus team to show the effects of the hard pace.

In combination, the Cactus had it on the Tigers to a considerable extent. In the first few minutes of play, Curly Bowman "fed" Al Adkins continually. Al kept close under the basket and contributed five field goals in the first few minutes. Moreover, their style of play gave the Cactus two shots where ordinarily they would get but one. When Demar Bowman took a chance from back of the floor, Adkins was beneath the basket to get the ball and have another try before the Tiger defense could be drawn back.

Both Dore and Clyde Woolen did great work for the Tigers in the first period and when Lucas replaced Woolen in the second half, he teamed well with Dore. Fox and Schumacher, the "H" guards, on the other hand, had a tendency to play too far up the floor.

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BOWLING

Official standings of the various leagues rolling on the Cactus club alley, with the respective leaders and the individual averages have been summarized as follows:

Big League. Won Lost Pct.

Westons 25 22 52.9

Tri-State Motor 24 24 50.0

City National Bank 23 27 46.0

Old Guards 18 28 39.2

Industrial League. Won Lost Pct.

Real Estate 41 16 71.7

W. P. Law 32 24 57.1

Cement Plant 29 27 51.9

Globe Mills 18 22 45.0

Smelter League. Won Lost Pct.

Batemans 6 2 75.0

Abbot 5 2 71.4

Vandenberg 1 1 50.0

Smelter Independent League. Won Lost Pct.

Stein 3 1 75.0

Koenig 2 2 50.0

Fenner 2 2 50.0

Vandenberg 1 1 50.0

Telephone League. Won Lost Pct.

Cook 29 14 67.6

Anderson 26 18 59.1

Knight 18 24 42.9

Shoop 14 26 34.9

Sweepstakes. High single game, K. H. Aber 255; high

team game, Westons 949; high team total,

Westons 218; most spits, one game, H. R.

Charles 4; most spurs, one game, W. C.

Anderson 3; most strikes out to date, L. S.

Callahan 4.

High game, Big league, Lee Davis 248;

high total, Lee Davis 625.

High game, Industrial league, K. H. Aber

255; high total, E. L. Clark 573.

High game, Smelter league, J. Vandenberg

245; high total, J. Vandenberg 644.

High game, Smelter Independent league,

Geo. Rogers 194; high total, Geo. Rogers 516.

High game, Telephone league, H. W. Cook

255; high total, H. W. Cook 599.

Big League. Games Pct. Avg.

Joe Bryan 42 23 54.8

Lee Davis 42 23 54.8

Ed Schmitt 42 23 54.8

E. L. Clark 42 23 54.8

H. D. Carr 42 23 54.8

W. D. Stratton 42 23 54.8

J. L. Anderson 42 23 54.8

J. A. Weber 42 23 54.8

Loft 42 23 54.8

R. E. Luck 42 23 54.8

Scott White 42 23 54.8

A. W. Foster 42 23 54.8

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L. S. Callahan 42 23 54.8

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G. C. Abbott 42 23 54.8

H. E. Christie 42 23 54.8

J. J. Barlow 42 23 54.8

Hart Wood 42 23 54.8

CALLAHAN IS IN PITTSBURGH AS VAUDEVILLE ARTIST

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 24.—Jimmy Callahan, new manager of the Pirates, will make his first public appearance here, not on the ball field, but on the

stage. He will appear in a monologue act, beginning today. Callahan's salary will be \$750 for one week. He probably will take a short tour of several cities of the theatrical circuit, then take up his duties as manager of the Pirates.



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CARRIGAN FAVORS SHORTER TRAINING

Lewiston, Me., Jan. 24.—Manager Bill Carrigan of the world champions, while at home to settle some little business affairs in this city, explained why the team would not spend so long a time at Hot Springs this spring as it has in previous years. Manager Carrigan said: "I have been in favor of spending only two weeks at the training camp in Hot Springs for the last four years, but I could not make the owners try it out until this season. It has been plenty long enough for any ball player to train. Take a man training four or five weeks steadily; man training at the end of that time in my opinion is not so fit as the man who goes steady and is practically all in before the season opens. I don't think there is a man on our team that needs over two weeks to get into condition. The most of them keep in condition all the winter by doing a little light work in the gym or out in the open. Possibly the new recruits will have this season will need a little more than the others, but I doubt it. Wait and see if my men are not in better shape when the season opens than some of the other clubs that train for a month or two."

WINTER TENNIS PROVES SUCCESS

Miss Bessie Taylor Wins Women's Singles; Men's Singles is Fast Contest.

Midwinter tennis was played at the El Paso Country club courts on Saturday and Sunday, with considerable success. There was a slight sting to the air, but so long as the sun was shining on the courts it was warm enough for good tennis. The players were more comfortable than the spectators, but quite a gallery watched the play both days.

Miss Bessie Taylor was the star in the events for women. She captured the women's singles and, paired with Lieut. Walter Gullion, won the mixed doubles. The men's events were unfinished and the tournament will be continued next Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

Miss Taylor defeated Mrs. Sexton, of Las Cruces, 6-1, 6-2, and met Mrs. V. S. Foster in the second round. Miss Taylor was again successful, the score being 6-2, 6-0. In the final she defeated Mrs. George LeBaron by a score of 6-0, 6-1. Mrs. LeBaron defeated Miss Peggy Davidson, 6-0, 6-2, and then won over Miss Floy Barnhart, 6-4, 6-3.

The mixed doubles saw some good tennis. Mrs. Sexton and Mr. Lotta, of Las Cruces, played a remarkably good game. They easily defeated Mrs. V. S. Foster and Lieut. F. Parker, 6-0, 6-2, and then took on Miss Wanda Race and C. D. Burrage, whom they defeated, 6-1, 6-3. In the final, Mrs. Lotta and Mr. Lotta were defeated by the Fort Bliss players, 6-4, 7-5.

The men's singles brought out a good entry and some fast tennis resulted. The results in this class were: Blackshear defeated Lieut. J. H. Wood, 6-2, 6-4; P. M. Berger defeated Dr. Cornell (Las Cruces), 6-1, 6-1; Lieut. W. Gullion defeated Lieut. M. Brennan, 6-1, 6-2; M. A. Fuller defeated Lieut. F. Parker, 6-2, 6-1; Norman Ferguson defeated C. D. Burrage, 6-2, 7-5; P. H. Bailey defeated Lieut. J. H. Harris, 6-4, 7-5; Mr. Hamilton (Las Cruces) defeated E. B. McClintock, 6-5, 7-6, 8-7; A. Gill defeated Mr. Converse (Las Cruces), 7-5, 6-3, 6-0; H. Blackshear defeated Mr. Lotta (Las Cruces), 10-12, 6-3, 6-2.

In the men's doubles, S. Blackshear and W. T. Walz are in the final against Norman A. Ferguson and F. Harbison and the match will be played next Saturday afternoon.

WESTERNERS FORM SIX DAY BICYCLE RACING CIRCUIT

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 24.—Western bicycle race promoters believe they have broken the power of the National Cycling association and the Bicycle Racing association, which have controlled cycle racing for a long time.

The westerners have made rapid progress toward the formation of a six-day race circuit. Following the 12-hour a day, six-day race at the Coliseum in this city starting Feb. 2, the cyclists will go to Kansas City for a 10-hour a day event, which will be held from March 4 to 12.

Milwaukee will complete the circuit, with a race from March 15 to 18 and Minneapolis may be added to the circuit.

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